



## Gary Compton

October 29, 1939 - April 8, 2012

Myrtle Beach...Gary Robert Compton, age 72, died Sunday, April 8, 2012 at Agape Senior Center.

Mr. Compton was born in Crossville, IL, a son of the late U. Evert Compton and Maxine Fern Webb Compton. He was a member of Grand Strand Senior Golf and ROGA, and ranged at courses including the Grand Dunes. Mr. Compton loved fishing and was a pet lover. He was preceded in death by his first wife, Josephine Jean Skelton Compton; one sister, Melba Compton; and one grandson, Rodolfo Long.

Surviving are his wife of 30 years, Diane Compton; five children, Kimberly and husband Scott Schacher, Tiffany and husband Dave Bennett, Robert Long, Thomas and wife Cheryl Long and Keith and wife Elia Long; eighteen grandchildren; two-great-granddaughters; three brothers, Evert and wife Sandy Compton, George and wife Jackie Compton, and Chuck and wife Shelli Compton; one sister, Christine Compton; and several nieces and nephews. Funeral services will be held 11:00 AM Thursday at Goldfinch Funeral Home, Conway Chapel with Father Jeff Wallace officiating. Burial will follow in Hillcrest Cemetery.

The family will receive friends from 6-8 PM Wednesday at the funeral home. Sign a guestbook at [www.goldfinchfuneralhome.com](http://www.goldfinchfuneralhome.com)

Goldfinch Funeral Home, Conway Chapel is in charge of arrangements.



# Cemetery Details

## Hillcrest Cemetery

1000 Hwy 544  
Conway, SC 29526  
(843) 347-4909  
<https://www.hillcrestcemetery.com/>

# Tribute Wall

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“ *Diane, So sorry about Gary. Read it in the paper this morning. I will have you and your family in my prayers and thoughts. May God wrap his arms around you and comfort you  
God bless you  
Love Jim & Sue Shaffer*



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**Ilena Sue Shaffer** - April 10, 2012 at 05:12 PM

MP

“ *Missy Phares lit a candle in memory of Gary Compton*



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**Missy Phares** - April 10, 2012 at 02:34 PM

MP

*Diane, Tom, Bob, Kim, Tiffany & Keith,  
I am so sorry to hear about Gary's passing. I will always have some fond memories of him and his jokes. He was a good person and a wonderful grandfather.*

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**Missy Phares** - April 10, 2012 at 02:36 PM

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“ *Frank Dalie lit a candle in memory of Gary Compton*



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**frank dalie** - April 10, 2012 at 10:06 AM

RC

“ Robert Carr lit a candle in memory of Gary Compton



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**Robert Carr** - April 10, 2012 at 08:51 AM

RC

*Diane and Family, I am so sorry for your loss of Gary. My thoughts and prayers are with you all. I all ways enjoyed working with the family at D&G Gulf so many years ago, and have often thought of you all. God Bless My Friends*  
*Bob Carr*

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**Robert Carr** - April 10, 2012 at 08:57 AM

JM

“ *Tiffany and family, we are so sorry for the loss of your dear father. You are in our thoughts. Take comfort in knowing that now you have a special guardian angel to watch over you.*  
*Frank and Jen McCreary*

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**Jen McCreary** - April 09, 2012 at 07:59 PM